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## BACON HOG RECOMMENDED BY SHORT COURSE SPEAKERS

**Demonstration showed that Select Bacon Type is More Profitable than the Thick Smooth Animal. Good Addresses by Government Experts. Vast Improvement has been Made in Alberta Hogs in the past Few Years. Results of Feeding Experiments.**

Mr. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture for Alberta, speaking at the bacon hog short course at Wetaskiwin last week, stated that he knew there were farmers who did not favor the bacon hog. It was not the intention of the department to force anyone in the matter of raising hogs, yet it was felt that the farmers should know the facts regarding the whole hog industry and the hog grading system. A vast improvement had been made in Alberta hogs, yet the quality was so low two and a half years ago that it had been impossible to effect improvement all over the country. The department realized that the farmer who made an effort to improve the quality of his stock should be encouraged, and at a meeting held at Saskatoon with the producers, the packers and the salesmen, it was agreed that thick smooth hogs of the improved type should be sold for more money than those of the old type. If now raised with the department and the trade at Calgary and Edmonton to put this agreement into operation.

Mr. A. A. McMillan, of the Dominion live stock branch, Ottawa, who is responsible for the hog grading standards all over Canada, stated that in many districts the farmers expected that one cross of a bacon type boar would result in the production of the bacon hog. At almost any shipping point in Alberta today one could see hogs with one cross of bacon blood in their veins, some with two crosses. These pigs were "longer," but they were still showing the hard characteristic, and while some selections were being produced, the percentage was not large. It was unfortunate that some farmers who were nearly to the point of producing selections were rearing. A little more effort would result in the production of selections, whereas if they reverted now they would lose the improvement already accomplished. The improved quality of Canadian hogs had enabled Canada to export over 100,000,000 pounds of bacon in 1924. This brought a large sum of money into the country of \$27,000,000, and as a result the price of hogs had been maintained at profitable prices. The price of hogs was such today that if a man was marketing thick smooth hogs there was a profit. The best during the first few months of this year marketed 100,000 more hogs than in the same period for 1924. Statistics showed that while more selections were being produced the improvement was not in proportion to increased production. In the past increased production brought a return of in lower prices and the same thing would happen again unless the farmers set about producing bacon hogs.

Professor Sackville, of the University of Alberta, stated that large litters of pigs was associated with a long, roony type of sow. The large litter was the first factor in reducing the cost of pork and bacon production. Bacon type sows had demonstrated their ability to produce and rear litters of eight, ten and twelve uniform pigs. Feeding experiments in Alberta and elsewhere in Canada and the United States had shown that a bacon type pig could be reared as economically as the lar type. The bacon hog should be grown on green feed, skim milk and a light meal ration of oats with the hulls sifted out. Barley was too fattening a food for the young growing pigs, although an excellent food for finishing. In the absence of skim milk the addition of five per cent of tankage to the meal ration would be found beneficial. To avoid hairlessness in young pigs the farmers should feed potassium iodide. Make a solution from one ounce of potassium iodide in a gallon of water and feed one tablespoonful daily of this solution during the period of pregnancy to brood sows, ewes, cows and mares.

Pigs require mineral matter, and a mixture consisting of 135 pounds of a shank, 7 pounds of salt, 5 pounds of slacked lime and 2 pounds of sulphur had given excellent results at the university. This mixture was cheap and if placed in a box in the pig pen, the

pigs would help themselves. Mr. Curtis, stock yard agent at Edmonton, assured the farmers that all hogs going to the stock yards were graded, and if the farmer came to the yards and was not satisfied with the grading, he would arrange for them to see the carcasses hung up on the rail. The farmer could only get a knowledge of the bacon type by studying it at courses or at the yards, and it had been found that where the farmers knew the type they invariably were able to produce select bacon.

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## GOLDEN WEDDING WAS CELEBRATED ON SUNDAY LAST

The home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ferguson, southeast of the city, was the rendezvous of a large number of the friends of these esteemed citizens on Sunday last, when they assembled to join in the celebration of the golden anniversary of their wedding. Friends came from far and near and quite a large number drove out from Wetaskiwin to be present. Twenty cars and one hundred and twenty-seven guests were counted, and the condition of the roads prevented many from being present. The home was beautifully decorated with different varieties of flowers, including roses, for the occasion, and a most enjoyable time was spent on this memorable occasion. H. R. French spoke on behalf of the guests, and extended the congratulations and best wishes of all to the bride and groom of fifty years ago. Among presents received were a set of gold teaspoons from the neighbors and a set of gold knives and forks from the Wetaskiwin guests. A bountiful dinner was served, and a delightful afternoon was spent in conversation, song and story. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson each spoke briefly, expressing their heartfelt appreciation of the thoughtfulness of their friends and for the many congratulations and good wishes received. May Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson live to the fullness of years, and may happiness and the unanimous wish of their host of friends.

## "KIWIAN NIGHT" TO BE OBSERVED

Joining in with all the 1355 Kiwanis Clubs in the United States and Canada, all of which will meet simultaneously, the Kiwanis club of Wetaskiwin will hold a special occasion to observe "All Kiwanis Night" on Monday, June 22nd. At this time the opening session of the Annual Kiwanis International convention will be held at St. Paul, Minn.

All clubs throughout the continent have arranged the time of their meetings so that the "zero hour" when 94,000 Kiwanians assemble to observe the "Fellowship moment of Silence" will be held simultaneously with that in the city of St. Paul. The message to the clubs by the president Victor M. Johnson, of Rockford, Ill., will be read by one of the local Kiwanians. This will be the second time in the history of Kiwanis that such a meeting has been held. Last year when the International convention convened at Denver, a similar observance marked the opening activities. At that time the Wetaskiwin Kiwanians were the guests of the Edmonton club, and this year a large number of the Edmonton Kiwanians will be the guests of the local club.

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## PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

The monthly meeting of the public school board was held on Thursday evening last with all members in attendance. Apart from the passing of accounts, amounting to \$121.08, there was very little business to transact.

## WRIT FILED AGAINST CITY OF EDMONTON

A writ for \$14,256 was served on the city of Edmonton and filed in the supreme court Saturday by the governors of the University of Alberta, being the amount claimed by way of grant for Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment patient at the rate of 375 cents a day during November and December 1922 and the years 1923 and 1924. The city only paid the grant for civilian patients and disputed the other claim.

## SPEAKERS OPEN POOL CAMPAIGN IN THE PROVINCE

The campaign for membership in the provincial livestock, dairy and poultry pools was opened in the central part of the province on Saturday, when meetings at Rimby and Lacombe were addressed by W. J. Park, president and managing director of the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' association, and A. H. Mercer, secretary of the same body, and Nelson S. Smith, representing the provincial board of the joint pools.

The features of the Rimby gathering which was coincident with the semi-annual meeting of the Blindman Valley Cooperative Shipping association, was a unanimous decision on the part of the local association to join the provincial livestock association in a body. The Rimby local is one of the strongest cooperative associations in the province, having expanded its membership from 300 to 700 during the 18 months it has been in operation. Business to the value of approximately \$170,000 has been handled by this body during the first four months of 1925 and each regular shipment of hogs at the present time averages from \$5,000 to \$7,000. The support of this strong local association is very gratifying to the board of the provincial pool.

W. J. Park, in reviewing the growth of cooperative marketing in British Columbia, outlined the development of the Fraser Valley association, a farmer-owned and operated organization which in the eight years of its existence has grown from an initial capital of \$20,000 to a paid-up capital at the present time of nearly \$600,000. The farmers of the Fraser Valley, stated the speaker, are now owners of a company valued at approximately \$1,000,000 invested in cows and equipment, an indication of the extent to which the dairy industry has been developed in that part of the province.

A. H. Mercer, secretary of the big association, emphasized the benefits to the members of this cooperative enterprise, pointing out that the returns to the producer had been practically doubled since the manufacture and marketing of its dairy products had been taken over by the association. This big cooperative has secured many avenues for the disposal of its products, having been able to obtain its own brand of butter, cheese, condensed milk, powdered milk and casein, as well as practically controlling the Vancouver milk supply. Both speakers emphasized the necessity of a solid sign-up on the part of Alberta dairymen for better results from the pool now in process of organization.

Several signatures were secured on contracts following the address of Nelson S. Smith, who reviewed the progress of the dairy industry in the province and outlined the aims of the pool. It was pointed out by the speaker that 6,000,000 pounds of butterfat had been set as the minimum sign-up upon which the pool would be organized and that the board had decided upon August 1st as the date by which it is hoped to secure this result. Last year when the International convention convened at Denver, a similar observance marked the opening activities. At that time the Wetaskiwin Kiwanians were the guests of the Edmonton club, and this year a large number of the Edmonton Kiwanians will be the guests of the local club.

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## BANKING SYSTEM EXPLAINED BY KIWANIAN BARRY

**Interesting and Instructive Address Given at the Weekly Luncheon**

**Edmonton Club Will be Entertained at Meeting next Monday**

Nearly every Wetaskiwinian attended the weekly luncheon of the club on Tuesday evening, and enjoyed a good talk on Canadian banking, given by W. Barry, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. The speaker commenced his remarks by stating that modern banking is mainly the result of heredity and environment and not of arbitrary legislation or the general admission in any wide degree of settled principles. But the principles suitable to an old country with a compact population, a highly developed railroad and telegraph organization for the distribution of commodities and information, and wealth enough to be a lender to other nations are not applicable to a new country with a scattered population. Canadian banking belongs to the class where the law makers and the bankers have been mainly concerned to give the people the best instrument in aid of commerce that they could devise.

A banking system should create a currency free from doubt as to its value; it should possess the machinery necessary to distribute money over the whole area of the country; it should supply the legitimate wants of the borrower under ordinary circumstances as well as in times of stress; and it should afford the greatest feasible measure of safety to the depositors.

Canada was among the first countries in modern times to issue fiat paper money for general circulation. In 1855 and 1872 card money was used. The issue in the latter year was redeemed in 1876 at 50 per cent of its face value. That expressive phrase "Not worth a continental" originated with the issuance and collapse of paper money.

In applying for a charter, the applicants must have subscribed a capital of \$500,000 paid up to the extent of one-half, or \$250,000, and this fact must be proven by the temporary deposit of the actual money with the treasury department. In Canada, as well as in the U.S., shareholders in banks are subject to what is known as double liability. In the event of the property and assets of the bank being insufficient to pay the debts and liabilities, each shareholder shall be liable for the deficiency to an amount equal to the par value of the shares held by him.

Under our banking laws, the claim of the note holder is preferred to that of the depositor, in the event of the bank getting into difficulties. The deposits taken by the bank are divided into two classes—demand and savings.

The speaker then gave a number of figures showing the rapid increase of the currency in circulation, and the increased amounts of the deposits in the different banks in Canada.

The next meeting of the Kiwanis Club will be held on Monday evening instead of Tuesday, when the anniversary of Kiwanis in America will be held. The local club will have as their guests the members of the Edmonton club, and if the weather permits, an inter-club golf competition will be held in the afternoon.

## NEW JEWELRY STORE TO OPEN NEXT WEEK

Another jewelry store will be opened in the building at the corner of Railway Street East and Pearce Street in a few days by M. Amundson, who will conduct a general jewelry repair shop. Mr. Amundson has been in the jewelry business for the past thirty-five years, and is well known in the community, having resided here for several years prior to going to Vancouver a couple of years ago.

## PRINCE GEORGE MAN IS VICTIM OF CROOKS WHILE IN VANCOUVER

J. G. Wrigley, of Prince George, arrived in Edmonton on Monday, and is minus the sum of \$2,000 as the result of a bunco game which was played on him in Vancouver a few days ago, according to the story which he has told the city police, and which is being forwarded to the Vancouver authorities.

While Mr. Wrigley was seeing the sights of the coast city he fell in with a man who gave him the name as Mackenzie, a very affable character, and the two wandered out to Stanley Park to see the big trees and the other attractions.

As they were walking along a shady avenue in the heart of the park, Mr. Wrigley suddenly espied at his feet a wallet which appeared to have been lost by someone who had passed a short time before. The two men examined the find which contained three \$10 bills and a bond for \$10,000 made out in the name of C. S. Payton. While they were discussing the wallet, who should appear but "Payton" himself, who was at that time in the wallet and to show his gratitude he offered Wrigley the three bills in the wallet. This the finder declined feeling that he was not entitled to any reward for the accidental discovery.

Still professing his deep gratitude the man offered to invest the \$30 in an international stock exchange in the city where it promised immense gains in a short time. During the next few days Wrigley was given daily reports of the development in the investment. At one time it had grown to \$10,000 then it had almost been eaten up and finally when \$15,000 had been cleared, a check was given Wrigley for this amount payable on a supposed branch of the exchange in Edmonton.

Pleased with his good luck Wrigley did not hesitate to advance \$2,000 in cash to the two men in token of appreciation at the good luck which had befallen him at their hands. They in turn insisted on buying him a ticket to Edmonton where he was coming to cash a cheque issued by the international exchange.

Arriving in the city what was his surprise to find that there was no such organization here as indicated by the check. It then began to dawn upon him that he had been the victim of a clever swindle and he hurried to the city police to report the case and seek the aid of the authorities in trying to get back his \$2,000. At last report no trace has been found of the men—Journal.

## RAIN INTERFERES WITH BALL GAMES

On Friday last the baseball fans of the community were disappointed because the heavy downpour of the afternoon prevented the baseball game with Ponoka being played. Fortunately, the rain commenced before the players left the southern burg and they were not greatly inconvenienced.

The game was postponed until Monday evening, and again the heavy rain poured forth for many hours and the ball ground was soon rendered too muddy for the game, but as the Ponoka team had arrived, four innings were played, in which several of the local players were absent. The score was 3 to 1 in favor of the visitors.

By 3:30 the evening's good time was enjoyed at the dance given by the Hurd Lake team in the U.F.A. hall.

**POOL MEETING**  
All those interested in the formation of the three pools now being formed in the province, are reminded of the public meeting, which is to be held in the U.F.A. hall on Saturday evening of this week at 8:30. The principal speaker will be W. J. Park, managing director of the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' association. Mr. Park is one of the best known cooperative managers in Canada, and a good meeting is anticipated.

## HALF HOLIDAY PETITIONS PRESENTED TO CITY COUNCIL

**Alley to be Changed on Separate School Grounds. Wetaskiwin to be Represented at Edmonton Conference. The Vote on Valuation of Office Fixtures. Tender for Redecorating Accepted. City Lots to be Seeded to Timothy. Two Bylaws Passed.**

The city council held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening with all the members in attendance.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. Mr. Miller appealed in person against his assessment for horses and stock, as he did not have same in the city. The matter was referred to the finance committee and the city solicitor for report.

J. J. Christopher and R. E. Schnitz addressed council on behalf of the Sacred Heart Separate School Board, respecting the changing of alley in block in which the separate school is located, thereby enlarging the play grounds. The request was granted.

Ex-Mayor Ellis, supported by J. F. Richards and J. H. Walker, presented a petition from the business men and one from householders in the city, asking for a Wednesday half holiday in Wetaskiwin. The matter of the petition was referred to the city solicitor for his report.

C. H. Russell, city solicitor, wrote council respecting two automobile assessments for part of the year. The solicitor was empowered to make adjustments in one case, and collect the other by legal process if necessary.

Godfrey Baker, secretary of the M. D. of Montgomery, advised council that the disposal plan of the city would not be assessed, in compliance with the request of the Wetaskiwin city council. The council of the M.D. of Montgomery was thanked for their action, and they will be advised that all parties depositing refuse in any place but the nuisance ground will be prosecuted.

A week from now the buffalo will be at their new home in the immense Wood Buffalo Park which has been set aside for them to range on in the Great Slave Lake territory. In this territory the only remaining herds of wild bison on the American continent will be protected.

The northern migration of buffalo has been a springtime event since Canada was first populated and thousands of the animals were slain in the old days as they moved northward. Today the herd went north in tourist fashion. They began the trip by rail way and will finish it by boat or scow.

The trip from Wainwright to North Waterways will be by fast freight on the Canadian National railway and from there the journey will be made on specially constructed scows. Attendees will accompany the herd on the journey.

**BIG TIME HERE ON JULY 1 AND 2**  
The committee in charge of the baseball tournament and sports to be held here on July 1 and 2, are leaving nothing undone to make this celebration a big success. It is expected that the baseball tournament will bring in some of the best baseball teams from central Alberta, as a prize of \$50,000 is given to the winner of each game, and \$150,000 to the winner of the final game.

There will be horse races each afternoon for both harness and running horses, while the Indian races will be a big feature.

A contract has been made with the Gladys Althea Dancers to supply special platform attractions before the grandstand each day. This will be the same high class entertainment that this troupe will furnish at the Calgary exhibition.

A special picture show will be put on at the Angus Theatre each evening, and two big dances will be held each night, at the Elks' hall and the U.F.A. hall. That at the Elks' hall will be a "Cabaret Dance" the Gladys Althea Dancers supplying special features between dances.

The Agricultural Society is putting on these sports days, and when they do a thing, they do it right. If you don't want to celebrate, think of the kiddies, and give them a time in Wetaskiwin on July 1st and 2nd.

## 43 PATIENTS AT HOSPITAL IN MAY

The monthly meeting of the hospital board was held on Wednesday evening of last week, but there was very little business to transact. The report of Miss Goodspeed, the matron, showed that 43 patients had been admitted during the month of May, with the total hospital days at 247. There had been 21 operations.

The chairman's supplementary report was read, showing cost of hospital meals in April as 293c, and in May 253c. Mrs. Hogan and H. J. Montgomery were appointed as the visiting committee for June.

The department of municipal affairs wrote forwarding draft of bill to be submitted to the legislature, regarding assessment and other municipal matters. The aldermen will study the matter and a special meeting of council will be held.

Mayor Blackford of Edmonton, wrote regarding the holding of a conference in Edmonton of the mayors of Western Canada, industrial associations and railways, during Stampede week, and asked that Wetaskiwin be represented. Mayor Montgomery was instructed to attend.

The secretary was instructed to look after the honor roll now in the council chamber, and make some revisions to the names.

It was ordered that an insurance policy for \$500.00, covering the office fixtures, be accepted. An amendment that the matter be referred to the finance committee with suggestion that the amount be increased to \$800.00, was passed on the casting vote of the mayor.

The typewriter in the city office will be overhauled.

The following accounts were passed for payment: General, \$321.95; Waterworks, \$74.41; Electric Light, \$220.21; Supplementary, \$283.48.

The finance committee reported that the tender of Chas. Kolb of \$15.00 for re-decorating the council chamber had been accepted. There were three tenders. The report was adopted.

The Chief of Police will be instructed to collect transient traders' license from M. Wmors & Co. and Fox's, and if they become permanent business firms, the license will be adjusted on basis of business tax.

A lengthy discussion took place on the question of boulevarding, the cost of building curbs, filling in, etc. The matter was deferred until next meeting for action.

Bylaw No. 511 providing for the sale of property to L. O. Johanson was read three times and finally passed.

Bylaw No. 515, providing for the disposal of weeds in the city, and suggested that many of the city lots be plowed and seeded to timothy. The public properties committee was instructed to go into the matter and seed down some of the lots.

Mayor Montgomery reported that he and Supt. Watson had represented Wetaskiwin in Edmonton last week at the Spray Lakes hydro-electric conference, and he outlined the work done.

Meeting adjourned.

## U.F.A. POLITICAL CONVENTION

H. Schofield, vice president of the U.F.A., will attend the annual convention of the U.F.A. Political convention at Wetaskiwin on Monday, June 22, at 2 p.m. All U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. locals are requested to send their delegates, and visitors will be cordially welcomed.

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## ALBERTA FAIR DATES

The following is a list of the fairs to be held in Alberta this year, with the name of the secretary of each:

Alta—Aug. 26, 21; W. L. Pettit.  
Banatta—July 21, 22; A. Norton.  
Berwyn—Aug. 15; J. K. Lawrence.  
Big Valley—July 28, 29; Fred Higgs.  
Bowden—Aug. 29, 30; W. A. Hills.  
Brooks—Sept. 7, 8; W. P. Gratton.  
Bundy—Aug. 28; G. W. Cadigan.  
Bye-Moor—Aug. 11; Leonard Brown.  
Cardston—Aug. 13, 14, 15; M. Coombs.  
Carmangay—Aug. 3, 4; Jas. McNaughton.  
Chauvin—Aug. 7; P. H. Perry.  
Chinook—Aug. 6; A. H. Clapham.  
Clareholm—July 28, 29; Jas. McKinney.  
Colinton—Aug. 19; A. D. Robertson.  
Cochrane—Sept. 3, 4; F. W. Nevill.  
Didsbury—Aug. 4, 5; A. A. Ross.  
Eastern Alta (Provost)—July 21, 22; S. F. Burgess.  
Edmonton—Sept. 16; James Taylor.  
Goss Creek—Aug. 5; F. G. Grant.  
Granville—Aug. 14, 15; J. W. Sawyer.  
Granton—July 30, 31; M. R. Matheson.  
Greencourt—Aug. 28; M. Patter.  
Hanna—Aug. 7—William Riddell.  
Hays (Lonsdale)—Aug. 19, 20, 21.  
High River—Aug. 12, 13; J. A. Mossey.  
High Prairie—Aug. 12, 13; J. B. Blinn.  
Innisfail—Aug. 12; R. G. Chapman.  
Irma—Aug. 11, 12; W. Masson.  
Kitscoty—Aug. 15; H. H. Dictionson.  
Lacombe—Aug. 4, 5, 6; J. McKenty.  
Lake Saskatchewan—Aug. 12, 13; H. C. Coombs.  
Lamont—Aug. 29; G. R. Stewart.  
Langdon—July 29; W. Alcock.  
Leslie—Aug. 18, 19; A. E. Ennis.  
Lloydminster—Aug. 5, 6; F. Newton.  
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Macgrath—Aug. 4, 5; J. G. Stewart.  
Marmora—Aug. 14; A. E. Williams.  
Medicine Hat—Aug. 3, 4, 5; C. A. Richardson.  
Milkerton—Sept. 16; E. W. Meers.  
Mid-Pembina—Sept. 19; A. D. Gilmer.  
Morinville—Aug. 13; J. B. Dalphond.  
Mossburn—Aug. 24; Tom Richmond.  
Munson—Aug. 5; R. R. Brown.  
Nanton—Aug. 4, 5; Wm. Robertson.  
Okotoks—Aug. 10, 11; C. Forcel.  
Oils—July 28, 29; R. B. Campbell.  
Okway—Aug. 14; W. Mackay.  
Oyen—July 23, 24; W. V. Miller.  
Pincher Creek—Aug. 11, 12; H. Bos-  
senberry.  
Phonopolis—Aug. 26, 27; J. M. Ulline.  
Ponoka—Aug. 5, 6; L. I. Stuart.  
Pridville and Millerville—Aug. 1; R. T. Knights.  
Raymond—July 31, Aug. 1; John F. Anderson, Jr.  
Red Deer—Aug. 13, 14, 15; Ralph Pat-  
erson.  
Rocky—Aug. 14; L. S. Cutler.  
Rochester—Aug. 18; R. Goguliot.  
Rocky Mountain House—Sept. 2, 3; E. Beveridge.  
Sanguin—Aug. 27; R. Michelson.  
Selkirk—June 30, July 1; E. S. Clemons.  
Sibbald—Aug. 28; C. O. Danley.  
Stettler—July 30, 31; Aug. 1; G. W. F. Day.  
Strome-Killam—Aug. 7; R. J. Mc-  
Gowan.  
Taber—Aug. 12, 14; Fred Watkins.  
Theriot—Aug. 27; L. Z. Bradbury.  
Three Hills—Aug. 12; C. P. McDon-  
ough.  
Trochu—Aug. 6, 7; C. J. Christie.  
Vegreville—Aug. 10, 11; James McGee.  
Vernon—Aug. 6, 7, 8; Wm. McAlhoy.  
Viking—Aug. 13, 14; Wm. McAlhoy.  
Wainwright—Aug. 29; Wm. Pickard.  
Waterloo—Aug. 6, 7; H. M. Bailey.  
Westlock—Aug. 26; J. L. Watt.  
Wetaskiwin—Aug. 7, 8; C. D. Smith.  
Winnifred—July 30, 31; J. R. Chisholm.  
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Calgary—July 31; R. L. Richardson.  
Camrose—Aug. 19, 20; M. Omond.  
Edmonton—July 13-15; W. J. Stark.  
Lethbridge—Aug. 6-8; R. W. Gardner.  
Lloydminster—Aug. 35; H. Huxley.

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supplying it. It pays better to sell now,  
rather than later, all chicks intended  
for the table, and as for broods such  
as the Leghorns, one cannot afford to  
keep them small and then sell for the  
price of roasters.  
If a market is not already arranged,  
it would be well to see about it at  
once. Usually the broiler market  
should not be too far away. The best  
places to look for customers are as  
follows: (named in order of highest  
prices)—private families, clubs and  
high-class hotels, summer hotels, high  
class boarding houses, dealers, etc.  
The best time to sell the broilers  
is when they weigh from 1 to 2 lbs.  
each. The earlier in the season, the  
smaller the weight that will be taken,  
and the higher the price.  
The most satisfactory way to market  
is to kill and dress before ship-  
ment (all but dealers require them  
dressed), but for longer distances,  
and in warm weather especially, if  
sold to dealers, they may go alive.  
Before selling the broilers it will  
pay to give them special feeding for  
10 to 15 days. In experiments con-  
ducted at the Dominion Experimental  
Farm, Ottawa, it was shown that a  
good feed was made up of equal parts  
of corn meal, feed flour and middlings.  
To this was added about 5 per cent  
of tansy for bed-bug and the whole  
mixture with buttermilk. One part  
of the dry mash to two parts of the  
milk by weight is the right proportion.  
This mixture proved better than  
prepared commercial mixtures and  
fed three times a day to broilers  
weighed at the start less than 3 lbs.  
each gave in 14 days an average gain  
of a little over three-fourths of a  
pound at a cost of feed of less than  
five cents. At the price sold (50 cents  
per pound) there was a profit of 25  
cents on the feeding operation.  
The feeding in ordinary feeding  
crops gave slightly better returns  
than the feeding in pens, and the  
heavy breeds gave better returns  
than the light breeds.  
Broilers above all classes should  
be fleshy. Do not market in a thin  
condition.

**Fruit Prospects Poorest  
Recorded in Many Years**  
Victoria, B.C., June 14.—British Columbia fruit prospects are the poorest  
recorded in many years, according to  
reports received by the provincial de-  
partment officials. Pesticides, Sumner  
and Kermesin areas of the Okanagan  
will have practically no production  
of peaches or apricots due to the  
killing frosts of last December.  
Sweet cherries are also very light.  
Apples in this district will be good.  
Koloma apple orchardists expect a  
average crop with pears fair. While  
the Vernon district apple crop will be  
light, Salmon Arm and other main line  
orchards indicate a very light crop of  
apples, the pears and plums being fair.

Creston and East Kootenay orchard  
crops were practically wiped out by  
the killing December frosts and a  
majority of the trees were killed nec-  
essitating extensive replanting this  
year.  
Lower mainland strawberries are  
very light, because are light and rasp-  
berries and blackberries will produce  
a fairly good crop.  
The Spanish strawberry production  
will be below average due to de-  
creased planting, the smallest since  
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berries with a reduction of output which  
places output to 50 per cent. This  
crop will be no larger than in 1924.

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POWER CONFERENCE  
HELD IN EDMONTON

Edmonton, June 15.—Very much in  
the nature of a "preliminary power  
conference" was the conference held in  
the Alberta government and repre-  
sentatives of various municipalities  
interested in the development of the  
Spray Lakes hydro-electric power  
scheme held in the council chamber  
at the government buildings Saturday  
morning.  
Hon. George Houtley, acting pre-  
mier, explained the steps which had  
led up to the calling of the con-  
ference, which, he stated, was done with  
a view to ascertaining the views of  
the various municipalities, and the  
formulation of a policy agreeable to  
all concerned, under which full con-  
sideration might be given the propo-  
sition for the development of the Spray  
Lakes scheme.  
Mayor Webster, of Calgary, explained  
briefly the proposal which the city  
of Calgary was urging, outlining the  
benefits which would accrue to the  
participating municipalities in the  
shape of cheaper power for industrial  
and other purposes.  
Mayor Johns, Red Deer; Mayor  
Montgomery, of Wetaskiwin; Supt.  
Brown, of the Calgary power depart-  
ment; Asst. Douglas, of Edmonton;  
Councillor Oliver, of Drumheller; and  
Dominion Meter Inspector Cantin, all  
spoke briefly, the discussion being  
informal throughout.

## HOTTEST IN GENERATION

Ottawa, June 8.—Ottawa experienced  
the hottest week-end in the memory  
of the present generation on Saturday  
and Sunday. According to official re-  
cords, Saturday was the warmest  
day in June for half a century. The  
city sweated under a relentless sun,  
with the temperature at a maximum  
of 97 degrees and a minimum of 66.7.  
Sunday it rose to 93 degrees.  
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was sentenced to five years in the  
penitentiary, at Winnipeg. In asking  
for leniency, Horton's counsel at-  
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THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1925

Good Morning,  
Madame!

Isn't the travelling salesman immense? Whenever I hear his jaunty step on the veranda, I get a distinct thrill of anticipation, and I summon all my faculties to give him battle.

How young he looks, with his round, clean-shaven face, and his boyish figure! And yet, we must believe that he has devoted years and years and years to studying the housewife's burden.

But the thing about him I admire most is the sublime manner in which he ignores the fact that women have one or two things to do in their houses, and cannot always take the time to discuss the merits of various commodities. Also that most of them have phones, and possess the ability, sometimes the will power, to order what they require in their business.

Yesterday it was the man with the mop. (The mop, by the way, was too short to wring with the one device which our mothers taught us, and required three rather involved movements in order to free it of water.) The youth who sponsored it left me in a very dignified, but distinctly cool, manner. He shook his sleek head sadly over my unimpaired intuition of clinging fidelity to the old piece of father's flannels so dear to the heart of the conservative housewife.

Then there was the man with the furniture polish. He had the advantage of representing a good concern, so he stepped right past me and into the dining room. With an infallible graceful gesture he whipped out an immaculate handkerchief and polished up on chair and half the buffet. The effect was dazzling—so much so that it took me half the afternoon trying to reduce the odiousness of the comparison with the rest of my furniture!

The youth with the block of aluminum and other equipment for cleaning silver showed me that I had taxed his credulity to the limit when I assured him that my mother had used that method for years, with the exception that she used her aluminum tea-bell instead of the elaborate outfit he offered me. Had he not been a travelling salesman, and therefore the acme of politeness, I'm sure he would have openly doubted my word.

Which reminds me of a story. Forgive my springing such an old chestnut, but here it is:

One of the species under discussion, in putting the momentous question to the One and Only, phrased it characteristically as follows:

"Louisa, the brand of love I offer you exceeds anything you could possibly obtain in that line."

Causes Injury  
To Dominion.

The injury which Canada is threatened by thoughtless or malicious statements of persons living in this country is indicated by the charge of Capt. Gore Hickman, one of the British settlers who recently arrived in Canada to take up a farm in the Innisfree district of Alberta under the family farm settlement scheme. As Capt. Hickman was travelling to his new home, fellow passengers on the train, who were Canadians, gave him such discouraging reports that he was convinced he had been hoaxed. He determined to go on to the Edmonton office of the land settlement board in order to give a piece of his mind to Major Gordon, the officer in charge.

On arrival at Edmonton he repeated what had been told by fellow passengers and demanded to know what the Canadian government meant by imposing on him. He would go back to England and expose the whole business.

Major Gordon listened to the story without comment, and when the captain had finished, produced a file from his desk. "How would you like a farm like this?" the superintendent asked, and he then proceeded to read the description.

"That would be fine. I wouldn't look for anything so good," was the rejoinder.

"Well, this is the farm that has been assigned to you from the first."

said Major Gordon.

After personal inspection of the farm, Capt. Hickman is enthusiastic over it. "It is absolutely satisfactory in every way, and I am highly pleased," he said. "The rooms are large, the house is in excellent condition, and we are looking forward with the brightest hopes."

This has one case of misrepresentation been completely answered. But there may be many others in which the thoughtless or malicious falsehood is not so quickly run to earth. Canadians who libel their country at home furnish the occasion for misrepresentation abroad, and do great injury to the best interests of Canada.

HOUSE IS ANXIOUS  
TO GET THROUGH

Ottawa, June 13.—Progress in parliament these days is strongly suggestive of the approaching end. The desire to get through and wind up the performance seems to be shared by all sides, although there is an element that delights to upset any arrangement that others may be disposed to conclude. At the longest, the session will terminate week after next, although with morning sittings beginning on Tuesday, it is possible that next week may see the conclusion of the work. During the past few days, election talk has been revived extensively, and this time appears to have behind it a note of authority. Although there are some contingencies which may operate to a change in the situation, many premonitory symptoms suggest that the appeal to the country will be made in the fall, and that in consequence the session is to end will finish the chapter of the present parliament.

Parliament was shocked yesterday afternoon to hear of the sudden death of Sir William Peterson. It marks the tragic denouement of an illustrious career. About an hour before Sir William Peterson passed away, a special committee of the house had submitted a report which was adverse to the proposed contract, although substantiating some of the alleged conditions upon which that institution had been based.

There remain two outstanding things to be dealt with, and some others that are less important, and which, though introduced, may not be proceeded with. The rate equalization bill will be gone ahead with on Monday, and there is little doubt it will go through, but opposition will be forthcoming from different angles. Conservatives will probably take the stand that if there is to be an entirely new rate structure, as is commonly desired, the railway commission should be set up fully unfettered when advancing to the task. Consequently it will be argued that there should be no fixed rate, not even on grain or flour moving eastward. The amendment of which the minister of railways has given notice, and which limits the fixed rates to the territory of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement, will be objected to by British Columbia members, because, as they construe it, the western movement of these commodities cannot enjoy the same rate. This interpretation, however, is not agreed to by the government. Progressive members will put up a filibuster to include the Crow's Nest rates on other things than grain and flour, but there is no prospect of succeeding.

Another important thing to come is the supplementary estimates, which will round off the financial appropriations and incidentally cast illumination upon the probability of a general election in the fall. A rural credits bill is promised, and the alternative vote measure is on the order paper, while there are bills of more local concern. That all of them will be passed is open to question.

When parliament desires to get through, bills that are objected to are not always an obstacle. The shoving process is simple and often availed of. A tremendous lobby is being put up against that government measure which would extend the powers of the superintendent of insurance over loan companies. A Winnipeg concern is fighting hard for the defeat of the bill on the ground that if the department is to regulate it, bankruptcy will result. The minister of finance insists upon putting this bill through in the public interest, and the attempt of its opponents is to lay it over for a year.

## 10,000 SILVER FOXES IN 1924

The inspection of silver black foxes for registration purposes in Canada, is confined each season to about sixteen weeks commencing the middle of September. It is during this period that the quality of the fur can be judged. During the fiscal year 1924-25, about 10,000 foxes were inspected, tutored in the care for identification, and duly registered in the office of the Canadian National Live Stock Records. This brought the number of registered foxes up to more than 29,000.

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Don't set your heart on another land Canada needs us all. Divided nations do not stand. But sure as fate must fall. Maybe you think you'd like to roam Across the land or across the sea. Why don't you make yourself at home? This land will beat them all.

With other countries do not flit, Across the tariff wall, To buy an auto or a shirt, Canada needs them all. You work here and you get your pay; Spend your cash so the work will stay; And to the storeman kindly say— "Canada, first of all!"

Don't send your cash to outside banks Instead of here to help them all. Canada needs it all. When other lands receive with thanks Canada loses all. Build up the land; 'tis only fair If you came here our wealth to share. Don't send your money over there; 'Tis gone beyond recall.

Let your children understand— "Canada, first of all!" Let them enjoy their native land— "Canada, first of all!" Are there any to say them nay? Or ask: "How do you get that way?" They should get out if they can't say— "Canada, first of all!"

People and cash and work could make Canada first of all. With kindred lands we need not break But just be first of all. We need not quarrel; we are free To grow as strong as we can be. And Britain would be proud to see Canada—"first of all!" —F. H. Nichols.

OLD TIMER AT CAMROSE  
ON WAY TO FERINTOSH

Mr. A. S. Rosenoll, of Wetaskiwin, spent an hour in Camrose this week while on his way to Ferintosh to visit his son who is manager of the Imperial Bank at that point. Mr. Rosenoll represented this portion of the province in the first assembly of the legislature, from 1905 to 1909, when it was known as the Wetaskiwin constituency. In 1909 when the reorganization took place, the eastern portions of Wetaskiwin, Poncha and Lodge were constituted into the new riding of Camrose, which was represented by Hon. Geo. P. Smith from that date until 1921.

At one time Mr. Rosenoll owned several quarters of land lying to the northwest of Camrose, some of which were subdivided and sold at subdivisions.

He was agreeably surprised at the improvements in Camrose which he noted had been made since his last visit, especially in the residential portion.

Mr. Rosenoll was always a firm believer in the future of Camrose, and can be termed one of the real old-timers of central Alberta.—Canadian.

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## Here and There

During 1924 the 1,500 bee-keepers of Manitoba marketed 1,202,000 pounds of honey, valued at \$105,000, according to official returns by the Provincial Apiarist.

Prof. J. A. Allen, Provincial Geologist of Alberta, declares in an official statement that sixty-two billion tons of coal, half of which is recoverable, lie beneath the surface of Alberta soil.

Seymour Backus, Vice-President of the Backus-Brooks Company, of Winnipeg, states that the largest producing pulp mill in the world will be in operation at Kenora, Ont., before the end of 1925.

It is estimated that Vancouver will ship approximately 25,000,000 bushels of grain in the 1924 crop. Shipments already total 21,188,000 bushels. Commitments for almost 1,000,000 additional bushels have been made.

The special train operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway and known as The Trans-Canada Limited, which makes the journey across the entire country in eighty-eight hours, recently commenced its season, the seventh since its inception.

According to a bulletin issued by the Bureau of Statistics Alberta's foreign population is in excess of 180,000 with approximately 100,000 Americans included in the total. About 5,000 Americans reside in Calgary.

When Their Majesties King George and Queen Mary paid their official visit to the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley shortly after the reopening, they boarded the miniature Canadian Pacific train and made a trip around "Treasure Island" and expressed great interest in all they saw.

An effort will be made this year to transplant Swiss mountain roses in the Canadian Rockies. These roses, which were brought from Switzerland by Dr. Huebner, later Swiss Consul at Montreal, are extremely hardy and only thrive above elevations of 3,000 feet. They will be planted in the gardens at Lake Louise and Banff.

The first trip of the Canadian Pacific S.S. Princess Kathleen from Vancouver to Seattle via Victoria was recently made under most successful conditions. The people of Seattle are so enthusiastic over the increased coastwise service that they have tendered an address of thanks to Captain Troup, manager of the Canadian Pacific Coastal service.

There is every possibility that the Provincial Government of British Columbia may this year complete the construction of the scenic highway connecting Golden on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway with the summer resorts of Banff and Lake Louise. When this link, much of which was built during the past two seasons, is completed it will make one magnificent triangle through the heart of the Canadian Rockies.

Building permits issued in Canada during the first quarter of 1925 were 10.2% and 1.2% greater than in the first three months of 1924 and 1923, respectively. There were also 6.5% greater than in the first quarter of 1922, 46.5% higher than in 1921 and 4.3% above the 1920 total. The aggregate value of building permits issued for the first quarter of 1925 was \$10,672,637, compared with \$17,846,969 for 1924 and \$19,441,159 for 1923.

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UNITED CHURCH

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Committees were appointed to deal with the following matters: Council business; titles, duties and methods of electing presiding officers and secretary or clerk of the council; annual conferences, number and boundaries; the formation of presbyteries; settlement and transfer of ministers; temporary administration of departments; on membership of commission; permanent organization; church property; finance; life and work of the church; church worship, statistics; historical materials; church architecture; address to the King.

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## OBITUARY

## BABY LANG

The deepest sympathy of the entire community will be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lang, who reside near Millin, in the death of their infant son, who succumbed on this earth only eighteen hours. The sad event took place on Saturday night. The remains were tenderly laid away on Sunday in the Pleasant Prairie cemetery, the service being conducted by Rev. E. G. Coos.

## MRS. MATTHEW WILSON

There passed away at her late residence, in the Millin district, on Monday evening last, another of the esteemed residents of the community in the person of Dillana Jane, beloved wife of Mr. Matthew Wilson. She was born in South Dakota, and came to Alberta twenty-three years ago, and located in the Millin district with her husband, where she has since been a well known and highly respected citizen. She leaves a loving husband and family of two daughters, namely, Mamie and Maud, at home, and a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The funeral took place at Millin on Wednesday, service being conducted in the Union church. The interment took place in the Millin cemetery.

## BUSINESS LOCALS

\*\*\*Does the Last lover always make the best husband? Come to the Angus Friday or Saturday and see.

\*\*\*A dance will be held in the Malmo hall on Wednesday night, June 24. The Harmony Four orchestra in attendance.

\*\*\*Two friends—one a husband—the other a lover—which found the greatest happiness? See husbands and lovers at the Angus, Friday and Saturday.

\*\*\*A community picnic under the auspices of the Gwynne U.F.A. local will be held on Wednesday, June 24, at the farm of Mr. E. E. Womack. A good program of sports and base-ball games is assured. Come and have a good time. Everybody welcome.

\*\*\*The story of a father who lost his money, but found his children's hearts, at the Angus, Monday and Tuesday.

\*\*\*Domestic Hamper, \$2.25 Box—12 box Raspberries, Loganberries, etc. 2 box carrots, beets, peas, etc. or Raspberries, \$2.25 crate; Loganberries, \$2.25; Blackberries, \$2.25; Mixed Vegetables, \$1.75. Cash with order. D. A. MacKinnon, Chilliwack, B.C. 1131.

\*\*\*Parents! If you are worried about "these modern young people" see "The Goose Hugs High, Monday and Tuesday at the Angus.

\*\*\*Fresh Fruit Special—3 crates of Raspberries, \$5.75; 3 crates Loganberries, \$5.50; 3 crates Royal Ann Cherries, \$5.50; 3 crates Bing Cherries, \$7.50. Price list 25 varieties sent on request. Standard crates. Cash with order. Order now. Quality Fruit Farms, Chilliwack, B.C. 1131.

The Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, has just issued Circular No. 6, "The Highway, the Motor Vehicle and the Tourist in Canada," which is of considerable interest to the general public.

## TOWN TOPICS

## Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moerke of Stromo

visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. O'Neill on Sunday.

Spencer Mellett, who was called to begin a couple of weeks ago on account of the death of a relative, returned home Friday evening.

E. E. Chandler claims to have the earliest patch of garden peas in the community. They have been in blossom for several days.

C. C. Campbell, teller of the Bank of Montreal, returned the first of the week from southern Alberta, where he spent his vacation.

On Monday morning next the high school examinations will commence, and they will be continued until the end of the month.

Mrs. Valliett of Idaho, arrived in the city last week to spend the summer visiting at the home of her son, Adm. W. S. English.

Mrs. Pearl Filiacourt underwent an operation at the General hospital, at Edmonton, on Monday, and is reported as doing well.

Mrs. A. McIlhenny and her three children left on Monday for an extended visit to her relatives in Ontario.

Miss McNeill, of Wetaskiwin, who has been seriously ill at St. Mary's hospital, is in improved health.—Canadian.

Don't miss the recital in expression and drama, to be presented by the pupils of Mr. Irwin in the old Methodist church on Friday evening at 8:15. Silver collection at the door.

The many friends of Mrs. L. Grein regret to learn that she is confined to her home through illness. Mrs. R. Giddeman of Stromo, her niece, is with her at the present time.

W. G. Whyte, of Hardisty, of the firm of Whyte & Orr Limited, spent a few hours in the city on Wednesday. He was on his way home from a business trip to the coast.

A. V. Billston, who has been spending two weeks' holidays here, returned on Sunday to Camrose, where he has accepted a position as manager of the Camrose Lumber Co.

Adolph Gulberg left last week for the coast, where he will likely remain indefinitely. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gulberg went to Vancouver some weeks ago, and are now residing there.

Miss Ethel Billston has completed the oil painting, "Christ in Gethsemane" and it may be seen at the Wallin Studio, where it is on exhibition for a short time. This painting is to be hung in the Mission church at Malmo.

R. D. Bingham has moved his tonorial parlors to the building at the corner of Railway Street and Joyce Street, where he is fitting up a very neat and comfortable barber shop.

Among those who spent the week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ferguson, and who were present at the celebration of their golden wedding were Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Bond Macaulay, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mayhew, Mrs. Steele, Mr. Stewart Anderson and Miss Mary Johnston, all of Edmonton.

## WEDDINGS

## CHINELL — WILKINSON

A quiet marriage ceremony was solemnized at the United Church parsonage on Tuesday evening, when Mr. Erwin Leroy Chinell and Miss Florence Wilkinson were united in matrimony. Both the contracting parties are residents of the Yeoford district. Rev. W. H. Irwin officiated.

## DEVALL — ALTVATER

A very pretty wedding took place in the Church of England, Wetaskiwin, at six o'clock on Monday last, when Minerva Wilhelmine, youngest daughter of William Alvater, of Wetaskiwin, was united in holy matrimony to Thomas Henry Deval, only son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Deval, of Bittern Lake. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. J. James.

The bride was very becomingly attired in a morning gown, headed, white georgette gown, with white veil, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. She was attended by Miss Mary Maracra, of Vegreville, who wore a dress of yellow crepe de chene, trimmed with silver lace. Mr. Thos. Leigold, of Bittern Lake, supported the groom. After the ceremony a bountiful supper was enjoyed at the home of the bride, by about thirty guests.

Later a dance was held in the U.F.A. hall, music being supplied by the Harmony Four orchestra, and a very enjoyable time was spent by friends and relatives of the bride and groom from different parts of the province.

Many beautiful presents were received by the bride. The bride's gift to the groom was a silver ring. The groom's gift to the bride was a string of pearls, and to the bridesmaid and best man a gold brooch and the pin, respectively. The extremely happy couple are to reside at Bittern Lake for the present.

## BORN

GAETZ—At the Wetaskiwin hospital, on the 11th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gaetz, a daughter.

KINGZETT—At the Wetaskiwin hospital, on the 17th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kingzett, a daughter. BIRD—Near Wetaskiwin, on the 16th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bird, a son.

LUCAS—At the Royal Alexandra hospital, Edmonton, on the 10th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lucas, of Wabamun, a son.

DEHILL—On June 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dehill, at the Wetaskiwin hospital, on the 17th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Murphy, a daughter.

KARBER—At Saskatoon, on the 12th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Karber, a son.

## CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wish through the columns of "The Times" to sincerely thank the neighbors and many kind friends for their expressions of sympathy and for the assistance rendered during their recent bereavement. They are especially grateful to those who sent floral tributes.

Mrs. J. A. Finch and family.

The Ladies' Aid of Wang will hold their annual sale on the church grounds, on Wednesday, June 24, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

E. A. Reynolds has leased the building on Peace Street East, formerly occupied by Geo. L. Owen as a feed stable, and is having it fitted up as a garage. Mr. Reynolds expects to move in a few days, just as soon as the new premises are ready.

The garden party held under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League, assisted by the members of the Sacred Heart school board, on Thursday of last week, proved very successful, financially and otherwise. There was a large crowd in attendance.

The C.P.R. have commenced work on the ditch for their water line from the dam northeast of the city to the water tank in the yard here. A large ditching machine was unshipped here last week, and was moved out Saturday ready to start work on Monday.

H. R. French, president of the Wetaskiwin Kiwanis Club, held Tuesday evening to attend the convention of the Western Canada District being held at Winnipeg the last three days of this week. He then goes to St. Paul, where he will attend the International convention, as the delegate from the local club.

Growing conditions were never better in the Wetaskiwin district than they are at present. The frequent warm rains and sunshine have brought the crops on with great rapidity, and it is estimated that the present season is about a month earlier than last year. If the favorable conditions continue, the farmers of the community will have one of the best crops ever harvested.

# Big June Drive FOR 1000 NEW CUSTOMERS Continues at Brody's

Entire Stock Remains Cut to the Core

## Men's Dress Shirts - 98c

### Men's Suits

A suit for middle aged or young men who dress well. It is made of English wool homespun, heather shade. An ideal suit for the summer. **\$12.95**

Good quality English Wool Blue Serge, soft finish, semi-conservative style. A real suit. **\$21.75**

Bottle green striped material, in the semi-conservative style. **\$12.75**

English all wool Herringbone of heavier quality material, roomy fit. **\$24.00**

Semi-Ready young men's suit made of hard finish grey Tweed, grey with stripe and apron in it. We have them in two or three button coat styles, well tailored. We finish the pants for you any style, and correct measure. **\$14.50**

## MEN'S PANTS

Navy Blue or Brown Herringbone, all wool material. Made in the regular style. **\$3.95**

All wool Herringbone Brown Tweed Pant per pair. **\$2.95**

## Young Men's Caps Sizes 6 1/2 to 7 75c

A lot of Work Shirts consisting of Chambray, Navy Blue Cloth, Drills and striped materials. They are piled high on our counter and will sell for **\$1.00**

Corset striped material, heavy body, and very serviceable, each **\$1.75**

A Pongee Silk Shirt with a detachable collar. **\$4.25**

Soliste Shirts. These are made of a very smooth finish material in cream shade with detachable collar. **\$1.85**

A lot of caps, consisting of Tweeds, Polo Cloth and Worsted materials. Some have celluloid peaks. Your choice **\$1.25**

Young Men's caps with peaked backs and celluloid peaks. Sizes 6 1/2 to 7. **.75**

## English Striped Towelling per yard 15c

## BOYS' SUITS

Juvenile Suits, Sizes to age 7. **\$3.95**

Boys' Suits of Sprinkled Tweed. Sizes 27 to 34. **\$5.75**

Dark Grey Wool Coarse Twill Serge, made in the latest fashion, patch pockets, three piece belt. The boy will look like a man in one of these. **\$7.25**

Dark Grey Herringbone Tweed, of hard finish, possesses all the qualities of a good wearing suit, with two pairs of pants to each suit. **\$9.95**

Brown Heather Mixed Wool Serge, with medium twill, very well tailored, with two pairs of pants. **\$8.75**

A lot of Bloomers, made up of Tweeds, Serges and Worsted materials. Sizes 27 to 34. Your choice **\$1.45**

Boys' Bloomers of Striped Percale and Chambrays. **\$1.00**

Boys' Dress and Work Shirts. Boys' Work Shirts, of striped Pin Check and Pin Check Plaid at **.85**

Boys' Wool Jerseys, sizes 22 to 26. Get one for the boy at **\$1.25**

Men's Work Shoe, made of a good grade of leather in the military style. Chipwyan make, in black or brown **\$3.75**

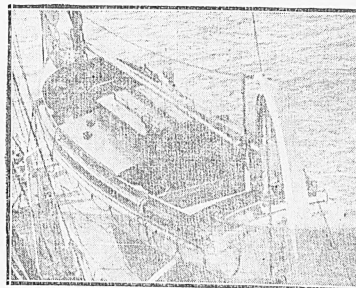
Made of No. 1 quality gun metal calf leather, slightly raised toe, medium heel, rubber lift. **\$4.65**

Made of good quality Kid. This is the only shoe that will give you style and ease for at the same time. **\$3.25**

Made of a fine quality brown leather with rubber heels. Sizes 4 1/2 to 7 1/2. **\$1.00**

—Sizes 8 to 10 1/2 **\$1.25**

Wireless For Lifeboats



The Cunard liner Ascania, constructed for Canadian service, is equipped with motor lifeboats fitted with wireless installation. Each of these boats is capable of travelling at a speed of 8 knots, with 10 or voyage Sunday evening, May 31.

## Saturday Specials That Save You Money

Grand Ma's Macaroni, per package ..... 10c  
Grand Ma's Vermicelli, per package ..... 10c  
Grand Ma's Noodles, per package ..... 10c  
Grand Ma's Spagetti, per package ..... 10c  
Grand Ma's Sea Shells, per package ..... 10c  
Cheese, per pound ..... 25c  
Loganberries, dried, per pound ..... 20c  
Rolled Oats, 8 pounds for ..... 45c  
Perrin's Sodas, regular 55c, ..... 2 for 55c

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Stock up for your Cottage at the Lake Now!

WE PAY FOR EGGS:  
Extras, 26c doz. Firsts, 22c doz. Seconds 18c

**Banner Grocery**  
Phone 4

### NEW MUSIC CLASS STARTS SEPT. 1ST

Miss A. Atsinger, of Blackfalds, is arranging to teach a number of piano pupils commencing September 1st. She will teach in one of the homes of the city. Miss Atsinger is an advanced pupil of Madame Le Sunier of Edmonton. Beginners and junior grades are her specialty. Anyone desiring to take lessons from her should make arrangements as soon as possible by writing her at Blackfalds, as she can only take a limited number of pupils. Her rate is 75c per hour lesson.

## PRESENTATION

Rev. Mr. Irwin received a pleasant surprise on Sunday evening, when at the close of his class in elocution the members were invited to repair to the home of Miss Higginson where tea was served, after which Miss Elsie Rodden made a few well chosen remarks of appreciation of the services of their teacher, and Miss Higginson on behalf of the class, presented him with a gold watch box and engraved locket. The class will close the season with its recital on Friday night.

The summer courses for teachers will be held at the university this year from July 6 to August 8, and the attendance is expected to be fully up to former years.

## DEATH OF DR. TOBIN

It was a severe shock to friends in Leduc to learn of the death of James W. Tobin, brother of S. G. Tobin, M.L.A., which occurred at Vermilion, Alberta, after an illness of about a couple of weeks. Before going to live.

Vermilion about two years ago, Dr. Tobin practiced as a veterinary surgeon in Leduc and was highly esteemed by a large number of friends here. He was sixty years of age, he was born in Nova Scotia, where his aged father still resides.—Representative.

## A SOLILOQUY

(Being the emotions of a young lady who is about to be "bubbled" at a local tonsorial establishment.)  
Shall I my napper to the scissors yield,  
And suffer my bared neck to stand revealed,  
Or shall I stout Dame Fortuna's fickle gaze,  
By sticking to my all but auburn hair,  
Or which I am endowed with my full share.  
In other words 'To Bob' or 'Not to Bob'  
That is the question which concerns my knob;  
But (herald thought) if bobbing makes me plain,  
I'd like to think it will grow again.  
But stay, my cousin Det, she had it done last week,  
'Twas after we had seen the picture of "The Sheik".  
O Fred, tonsorial artist of renown,  
At whose deft touch full many a golden crown  
Has been bereft of all its vain conceit,  
To mingle with the dust about thy feet;  
I am resolved—I bare my neck to thee,  
Lay on, sweet wag, produce thy snickersnee.

—Durny Bob.



# Classified Ads.

## For Sale

FOR SALE—3 Room Shorthorn bulls; bred right and prices right. Geo. F. Root, Phone 112. 12-13

FOR SALE—Tannworth Boar, one year old. Ed. Schmidt, Phone R3006, Wetaskiwin. 11-13

FOR SALE—Lots 4 and 4, Block 21, south side of Stanley street; also lot 15, block 28, N.E. corner McDonald and Oler streets, with terms to suit purchaser. Apply A. M. Scaman, 6351 Grand River Ave., Detroit, Mich. 11-7

FOR SALE—Carpenter shop, with working machinery. Terms to suit purchaser. Apply to W. Carruthers or The Times Office. 5-26

## For Exchange

TO TRADE—Advertiser has a Chevrolet car, in good condition, which he will exchange for a house in Wetaskiwin. Write particulars to Box "H," Times Office. 15-1

## Wanted

BOARDERS WANTED—Also roomers, by day, week or month. Reasonable rates. Mrs. A. B. Patterson, corner Stanley and Alberta Sts. 11-18

## NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of JOSEPH S. HOPE, Late of the Village of Millet, in the Province of Alberta, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Joseph S. Hope, who died on or about the 29th day of March, A.D. 1925, are required to file with Macdonald & Day, Barristers, etc., C.P.R. Bldg., Edmonton, Alberta, Solicitors for the Executor, by the 1st day of August, 1925, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her knowledge.

Dated this 10th day of June, A.D. 1925.

MACDONALD & DAY,  
Solicitors for the Executor  
12-13

**AUCTION—For satisfaction and service, get Mitchell the Auctioneer, Member A.A. Auction sales conducted anywhere. Phone 15, Millet.**

**LABELS WILL TELL WHEN YOUR SUBSCRIPTION IS DUE**

## NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of MICHAEL JONATHAN HOWES, Late of the Village of Millet, in the Province of Alberta, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Michael Jonathan Howes, who died on or about the 29th day of April, A.D. 1925, are required to file with Macdonald & Day, Barristers, etc., C.P.R. Bldg., Edmonton, Alberta, Solicitors for the Executor, by the 1st day of August, 1925, a full statement duly verified of their claims, and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her knowledge.

Dated this 16th day of June, A.D. 1925.

MACDONALD & DAY,  
Solicitors for the Executor  
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**J. W. WILTSE**  
Representing the Fuller Brush Co., will call on you soon.

**SUMMER COTTAGES**  
To Rent at  
MULHURST, PIGEON LAKE

These cottages are built of logs and have kitchens and screen porches, and are partially furnished.

Address  
H. A. DOWLER  
or Phone to Mulhurst Toll Station 13-4.

## Miscellaneous

**RENTS AND AVOIDINGS—Repaired.** Let us look over your tents and awnings before the spring rush begins. Also your auto, carriage and furniture. Highest class work promptly done at lowest price. Drop a card to W. J. Pickard, Wetaskiwin. 4-14

**PICNIC AT COAL LAKE**  
A picnic will be held at the Coal Lake hall on Friday afternoon, June 19th, under the auspices of the Coal Lake U.F.A. and the Wang and Sparling schools. A good program of athletic events such as foot races, baseball, basketball and a horse shoe throwing contest will take place. Refreshments and lunch will be served at the grounds. Lunches, 15c each. A big dance will be held in the Coal Lake hall at night, with good music, good order and a good time assured.

## BRIGHTVIEW

The Brightview school picnic will be held at Bear Lake, one and a half miles south of the school on Tuesday, June 23, commencing at 11 o'clock. Special features are boys' and men's basketball games. Come early and please bring cake or sandwiches.

## HILLSIDE

Don't forget the big U.F.A. picnic on Saturday, June 20. Sports of all kinds and a dance in the evening. We are sorry to report that Roger Howes is suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

Miss Hamilton spent the week end with her parents at Conjuring Creek. She was accompanied by Mrs. E. R. Hoskins.

We are glad to welcome to this district Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howes and family from the States.

L. Keen was an Edmonton visitor during the week-end.

## U.F.A. LEAGUE STANDING

	W.	L.	Per.
Cherry Grove .....	2	1	.666
Bear's Hill .....	2	1	.666
Duhamel .....	2	1	.666
Gwynne .....	2	2	.500
Haultain .....	0	3	.000

## USE ALL OF THEM

In view of the many weddings that usually take place during the month of June, the following hints on how to hold a husband, may be of service to some of the brides. Lean on him, says the elmy one. Dress for him, says the stylish spouse. Feed him well, says the home body. Flirt with him, says the coquette. Love him, says the tender hearted. Kiss him, orders the betty woman. Flatter him, whispers the dear deceiver. Understand him, says the soulful one. But the wise, wise woman know that you have to do about all these things to really hold a husband, and even then it is sometimes a gamble whether it is worth while.

## AUCTION SALE

OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions from J. Dowling and others, to sell by public auction at the Community Hall, Millet, on SATURDAY, JUNE 20

At 2 o'clock prompt.  
Household Furniture and Effects, comprising—Oak Roll Top Desk; Kitchen Cabinet; 6 Dining Chairs; Mission Upright Piano, (Campbell and Collyer) iron frame in A1 condition; Quick Meal Range; Hanging Lamp; Lamps; Trunk; Enamelled White and Brass Bed; Coll and Wire Springs; Mattresses; Oil Cloth; Linoleum; 5 Linoleum Rugs; Carpets; Screen Doors; Refrigerator; Mahogany Hall Seat; Mission Buffet; Round Mission Oak Dining Table; Set of Oak Dining Chairs; Washstand; Bureau; Chest of Drawers; 2 Sideboards; Massive Fumed Oak Buffet; Round Fumed Oak Table to match and set of 6 Fumed Oak Dining Chairs; Arm and Easy Chairs; Cupboards; China; Glass; Tools; Kitchenware; Cups and Saucers; Oak Rockers; Golden Oak China Cabinet; Walnut Case 12 spot Organ.

FARM MACHINERY—Set of Harrows; Massey Harris 5 foot Blinder; Grindstone; 8 foot Hay Rake; Nearly New 10 foot Hay Rake; Brantford Mower; 14 inch Breaking Plow; 16 inch Breaking Plow; Shovelback Wagon; Forks, Shovels, Tools, Remington 22 Rifle.

Team Bay Drivers, weight 2000; Bay Mare, 7 years; Double Set Harness; Nearly new Road Cart; Jumpers.

TERMS—CASH

MITCHELL — THE AUCTIONEER

W. L. Gray — Clerk

## CHURCH CHIMES

**IMMANUEL CHURCH**  
(Anglican)  
Sunday, June 21—  
Sunday school—10 a.m.  
Evening service—7:30 p.m.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday, June 21—  
2 p.m.—Sunday school.  
3 p.m.—Preaching service in English. Fred W. Benke will speak.  
Friday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting.

**FULL GOSPEL SERVICES**  
(Pentecostal)  
These services are held in the U.P. A. hall as follows:  
Sunday—11 a.m., 3 p.m. and 8 p.m.  
Wednesday, 8 p.m.

**SCANDINAVIAN BAPTIST**  
Rev. P. M. Meyer, Minister  
Sunday, June 21—  
Wetaskiwin—Sunday school, 11 a.m.  
Young People's service, 8 p.m.  
Nashville—Sunday school, 11 a.m.

**SALVATION ARMY**  
Special services conducted by Major Gosling, of Edmonton, on June 21.  
Holiness meeting, 11 a.m.  
Sunday school, 3 p.m.  
Salvation meeting, 7:30 p.m.  
All are invited.

**BETHLEHEM SWEDISH LUTH.**  
Sunday, June 21—  
10:30—Morning service.  
12:00—Sunday school.  
At Falun—  
3 p.m.—Full Gospel service.  
Rev. O. H. Miller, Pastor.

**UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA**  
(Rev. W. H. Irwin in charge)  
Sunday, June 21—  
10 a.m.—The respective Sunday schools will meet as usual.

11 a.m.—School "The New Life."  
1:30 p.m.—Service and Sunday school at Angus Ridge school.  
7:30 p.m.—"The Challenge of the New Day."

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND, MILLET**  
Sunday, June 21—  
Service at 11 a.m. Rev. H. A. Alderwood will officiate. Everybody is welcome.

**UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA**  
Millet  
Rev. Percy Johnson, Pastor  
Millet—Sunday school, 11 a.m. Service, 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m.  
Larch Tree—Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. Service, 11:30 a.m.

West Liberty—Service at the home of Mr. Von Arx, at 3 p.m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the service.

## MILLET

The Millet Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Henry Brinker on Wednesday, June 10, with the president in the chair. Owing to the inclement weather, only nineteen members responded to the roll call. Plant arrangements were made for the dance to be held on Friday evening, June 19. As Mrs. Hoskins, delegate to the W.I. convention, was not able to present, the report was read by Mrs. West. Mrs. Brinker read a very instructive paper on "First Aid in Emergencies," which was of great interest, especially to the mothers present. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Carney, Mrs. West and Mrs. Diney. The Institute will meet next with Mrs. Lloyd Marr, Hillside, on July 8. Everybody welcome.

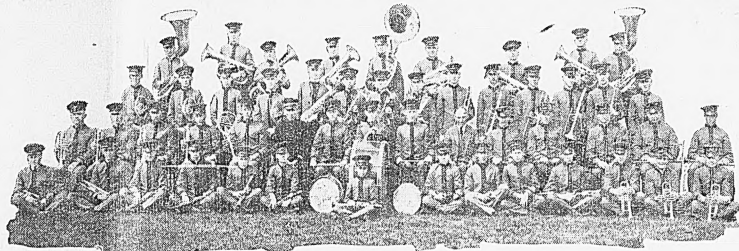
Drumholder will ship three hundred and fifty cars of coal to Ontario.

**Bacon Hog Recommended By Short Course Speakers**

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hogs. There were many farmers in central Alberta who were producing 65 per cent selects, and were doing so consistently.

There was a good deal of discussion over the payment of the premium to the farmers, and Mr. McMillan explained that today the cooperative farmers, and the department were finally acquainted with the grading standards and the department was making an effort to get these men to grade unofficially at the leading points. The shipping agent or the drover should be more than a pencil driver. There was no man who could be a greater educator than the local shipper because he was always in touch with the market and could tell the farmer first hand what the defects of his hogs were. In eastern Canada and in parts of the west, the shippers and drovers were gradually undertaking the grading. The department was prepared to give them assistance at the outset until they felt competent to perform the grading service. As all hogs were graded at point of marketing, the official grader at Calgary or Edmonton could check the local grading. Drovers and

## THE EDMONTON NEWSBOYS' BAND, WHICH WILL PLAY HERE ON SUNDAY NEXT



## EDMONTON NEWSBOYS' BAND HERE ON SUNDAY

What promises to be the treat of the season is in store for music lovers of Wetaskiwin and district. The famous Edmonton Newsboys' Band are giving a concert of two and a half hours' duration on the grand stand of the exhibition grounds on Sunday, June 20th—this coming Sunday, to commence at 2:30 p.m.

This famous aggregation of artists—50 strong, covered themselves and the city of Edmonton with glory on the occasion of their visit to the Wembley exhibition last year.

Composed entirely of newsboys, these artists have won a place in the hearts of a music loving public. As a band they stand well ahead of any such organization in the province. Their presence here next Sunday is due to the local order of Elks, under whose auspices they will appear. The object, a most noble one, is to raise money for charitable purposes. At last collection will be made on the grounds and the public are respectfully urged to show their generosity thus contributing to the noble object of the Elks, which is "To make life sweeter, men better, and the world happier."

shippers who have been doing their own grading for upwards of a year had invariably increased their business and moreover by aiding the farmers in improving their sow stock had been instrumental in increasing the percentage of select bacon hogs in the districts where they operated.

On Saturday afternoon the principal speakers were Mr. McMillan and Mr. Wyld. The former speaker commended the four carcasses with the Wiltshire sides, that had been cured for exportation, and showed the requirements to satisfy the market. The best Wiltshire sides must be from 28 to 30 inches in length (33 inches is too long) and there are three classes, namely, boned, lean, which is from 13 to 15 inches in thickness; and prime, which is from 13 to 2 inches or better. There should be an even cut of fat on back and underside. This is very important. A 200-lb. hog finishes up 1½ inches thick. In the best market today the Danish product brings 25c; Canada receives 24c and the U.S. from 18c to 20c. During and after the war Canada sent to the British market a product that was not acceptable, and it has taken five years to overcome the discrimination. A 200-lb. hog gives from 60 to 75 pounds of Wiltshire. The best seller is a Wiltshire from 50 to 60 pounds and a 160-lb. hog gives that.

Mr. Wyld, who was superintendent of a large packing plant for many years, was the next speaker, and he pointed out the things that constituted the best hog for the foreign trade. He then cut up a side from the thick smooth carcass and also a side from the select boned hog carcass (the hogs being slaughtered the evening before), and the demonstration proved that the select bacon hog was the more profitable by \$2.60. Each side weighed exactly 71 pounds. The result was:

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Total	\$14.64
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Ham, 16 lbs at 30c	\$4.80
Cottage Roll, 5 lbs at 22c	1.10
Picnic Ham, 5 lbs at 18c	1.44
Breakfast Bacon, 10 lbs at 30c	3.00
Loins, 11 lbs at 30c	4.20
Trimnings, 17½ lbs at 8c	1.40
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Mr. Wyld's cutting up of the sides, the weighing, and the tabulations were watched with much interest, and were a conclusive demonstration of the value of the select bacon type for the present outside market available.

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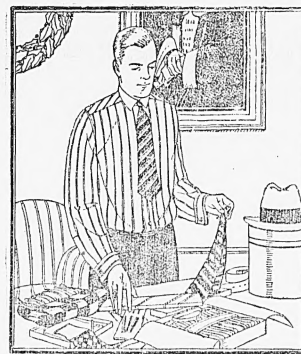
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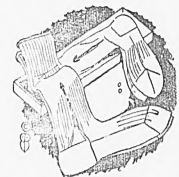
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## THE STORY OF AN OLD FARM HOUSE

In the county of Sussex in England, not many miles from Brighton, there is an old farm house. It stands in a corner of "The Weald," that beautiful bit of rolling farmland with its fine trees and hedges and winding lanes. It is a very old farm house. There cannot be many much older than it in England for a portion of the house dates from the reign of King John, away back at the beginning of the 13th century when Magna Charta was signed, while the remainder of the house dates from the days of Queen Elizabeth and the 16th century. The old house has seen many changes and passed through many hands in its long life. It is a big, rambling place with many odd corners about it and long low corridors. It was much more than a farm house at one time, for it was in the hands of one of the old religious orders who owned wide lands all around it and in that period it was used as a small monastery, but with the Reformation it passed out of the hands of the old church and into private ownership. Part of it was, in fact, destroyed at that time, which accounts for the addition made in the time of Queen Elizabeth.

At the close of the late war it was bought and occupied by an Englishman who had served in the Salonika army, had caught the malarial fever which few of that army escaped, and came home to recuperate in the country. He had means of his own and was not under any necessity of farming, but did so in a leisurely style with the help of divers farm hands. His family consisted of his wife and two little girls about the ages of six and eight, for whose education he had a governess living at the house. He had also two maid servants in the house.

After taking possession he made a thorough examination of the house from the antiquarian standpoint, and he discovered that in the course of various modern improvements made to the house some very fine old oak panelling in several of the rooms had been covered with plaster. He at once brought in workmen and had this stripped off and the old panelling again exposed. The effect was to improve the appearance of the rooms concerned immensely, and to restore the look of old-worldliness about the house generally. While the workmen were still in the house a trifling incident happened. One of the little girls, Sybil, came to the governess during the afternoon, and said that she had seen a man coming down the front stairway. There were two stairways in the house, one leading out of the main entrance hall, the other from the kitchen. Mr. Blair (as we may call the owner of the house, since it is perhaps undesirable to give his real name) was out in the fields at the time. Except for the workmen there were no men in the house, and the workmen were engaged on the drawing room at the time and had no occasion to go upstairs. The governess, Miss Smith, assumed that one of them had gone upstairs, and she not unnaturally suspected that there might be something in the nature of theft involved. When, therefore, Mr. Blair came in for the afternoon tea, which his leisurely farm duties never prevented him from doing, Miss Smith told him that one of the workmen had been upstairs. Blair was not given to unnecessary fuss. He went quietly to the foreman in charge of the work, told him that he understood one of the men had been upstairs in the house, and that, as it was not necessary, he did not want the men wandering about the house; he would like the foreman to see that his men were given instructions accordingly. He also made a quick search upstairs to see if there were any traces of disturbance or if anything was missing, but found nothing wrong, and decided that the matter was of no importance. Before the men left for the day, however, the foreman came to him and told him that he had spoken to his three men, and that they had all denied having been upstairs in the house during the day. Blair then sent for his little girl and asked her to say what the man was like whom she saw. She said she had not noticed him much. She herself had been upstairs, and on reaching the staircase to come down, she had seen him going down in front of her. He had gone round the turn in the stairs, and she

had not seen him again when she herself reached that point. She could not say much about his dress or appearance, having seen only his back, but she said he had a big coat on. This explanation did not help matters much. A child of eight is not the most accurate of observers of incidents which do not excite interest. Grown up people are not as a rule very acute in that respect. Blair believed that one of the men had for some reason or other gone upstairs, but the matter did not seem of much importance, and he could hardly prove anything conclusively on such evidence, while the fact that nothing was missing upstairs made it seem of no moment in any event. He therefore told the foreman that it seemed a curious thing and that he might keep an eye on the men thereafter, and then he dismissed it from his mind.

The workmen finished their job and left the house a few days later on a Sunday afternoon some visitors came to tea. They were sitting at tea in the drawing room and Blair had been calling their attention to the fine old panelling which was now re-exposed to view after the taking away of the plaster, when the younger daughter, Maud, came in. After greeting the guests and receiving a piece of cake, she said to her father in a careless way that she had seen such a funny-looking man going up the stairs with a coat over his head. The guests paid little or no attention to this remark from a child, but Blair was instantly struck by it. There was no man in the house so far as he knew except himself and the two male members of the party of visitors. They had come by motor car but had driven off themselves and had no chauffeur. The governess was not in the room at the time. Mrs. Blair was busy talking to the guests and took no notice of the little girl's statement. Blair had all the middle-class Englishman's habit of either seeing or allowing outsiders to meddle unnecessarily with his family affairs. He made a hasty and indefinite excuse, left the room, and at once went upstairs. There he went swiftly from room to room, but there was no sign of any intruder and no disturbance of any kind. He went down the back stairs to the kitchen and found the two maids sitting quietly at their own tea, and considerably surprised, in the suppressed fashion of the English servant, at the sudden appearance of the master of the house in the kitchen via the back stairs. Blair asked them if they had heard any noise upstairs, and when they said no with all the appearance of complete candor he merely said in a casual way that Maud had fancied she heard someone upstairs, but that she was evidently wrong. Then he went back to the drawing room and said nothing to his visitors of the cause of his leaving the room. When they had gone, however, he at once spoke to his wife about the matter and they mentioned the little girl Maud. She was quite clear about it. She had been playing in the garden, had seen the car with the visitors arrive, and after a few minutes had come into the house knowing that tea would be on the table. She had come in by the front door and was passing through the hall to the drawing room door when she saw the man just beginning to mount the stairs. She thought he had come to tea with the others. She noticed that his coat was over his head, a brown coat she said it was, and she thought that was a funny thing, which was why she had asked her father about him when she got into the drawing room. She wanted to know who he was and why he had not come to tea with the others. Blair was careful not to frighten the child. He merely said that the man did not want tea and that he had gone away by himself, and Maud was then sent off to her play. With his wife, Blair was serious. He told her of the incident when the workmen

were in the house, which he had not previously mentioned, since he had thought nothing of it. Now both the children had seen a man in the house who apparently had no right to be there, and whose presence was entirely unexplained. It appeared that there was something in this which needed serious investigation.

It is to be remembered that these incidents occurred at the close of the great war, when all over England, and all over Europe generally, the minds of men and women were in an abnormal state, and when nerves were strained, and the whole mental and physical balance altered by the strain and effects generally of the war. There were men in the country, unemployed, restless, incapable of settling down to normal life, grown accustomed to living under conditions strange and violent. Others were in an acutely sensitive condition, ready almost to believe anything, uncertain as to what old theories were still unshaken and what new ones were to be credited.

Blair, in spite of his war experience was in a quite sound mental condition, but he knew that others were not. He knew that it was just possible that in an old house like the one he had bought, there might exist secret rooms or passage-ways, and it was possible that a man anxious to hide himself for some reason or other to avoid conscription for the war or for any other cause, might have found such secret places in the house, and be making use of them. Again, it might be some intruder for mere purposes of robbery, who had so far not found or had not time to find anything worth taking. If there was no such explanation, then the two girls must have either imagined what they saw, or have invented the story for some strange reasons of their own. There have been cases known of quite young children creating elaborate stories out of sheer imagination, giving them a wealth of convincing detail, and sticking to them through thick and thin, until it becomes a question whether they do or do not realize their imaginary character. None of these explanations satisfied the present circumstances entirely and Blair found himself against his own wishes asking in his own mind whether or not there was something here that could not be explained by the ordinary laws of nature. Mrs. Blair was equally puzzled, and could offer no explanation. Her one fear was that the servants

should get it into their heads that the house was haunted, and leave. To the mistress of a large house at that particular time in England, when munition and other war work had completely unsettled most girls, and made domestic service thoroughly unpopular, the loss of her maids was one of the most serious tragedies that could befall her. It was entirely natural that only this aspect of the mystery should appeal to her.

The governess, Miss Smith, was cautiously questioned. She was a sensible young woman and was not particularly alarmed at the story. She agreed as to the necessity of keeping an observant eye open for any explanation but could suggest none herself. Like most people in England in charge of children, she had told the two little girls fairy stories from time to time, but had not said anything to them as to ghosts, in which she had a healthy disbelief.

Careful search of the house did not disclose anything whatever in the nature of a secret passage or chamber of any kind. No property was missing. For some time nothing happened. The servants had either paid no attention to the incident or regarded it as not worth bothering about. Then one afternoon both little girls came into the drawing room and

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## THE STORY OF AN

## OLD FARM HOUSE

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take some more plaster off the walls

as they had seen the workmen do in the drawing room and elsewhere in the house, but he had made no answer, and had walked quietly to the staircase and had gone down it. On

this occasion the elder girl made a remark as to his dress. "He was," she said, "dressed like the men in the picture called 'Friday' in the smoking room." This was the comparatively well known picture of a number of monks fishing in a small river. The younger girl added that he had his coat over his head again. This time that remark had a new meaning to the hearers, for taken along with that of the elder child, it indicated that the figure had been dressed in a monk's robes wearing the cowl drawn over the head. On Mr. Blair's return home he was told what had happened. The most careful and yet sympathetic questioning of the children brought out neither more nor less than has been stated. It revealed no sign whatever of untruth, of an elaborate joke, or of alarm on the part of the children. They had just seen the strange man and that was all.

It was, however, quite enough to alarm the parents, who were now satisfied that whatever the character of the visitor, he really had been seen. It was decided to keep as close a watch as possible on the corridor into her father's room. The search, but for some time there was no result whatever.

Then came a day when the children had a party of their own at which a number of other children were present, and all sorts of games were played. The old house lent itself splendidly to "hide and seek" and such sports, and for a time its corridors echoed to shouts of laughter and the swift patter of small feet. As usually happens on such occasions, any available and goodnatured grownup seized the job of being "it" that is to say, of being the seeker. Both Mr. and Mrs. Blair and Miss Smith were taking their full share in the games, a fuller share than they had taken for many years, and were feeling themselves back again in something like their own childhood. Mr. Blair had been designated "it" and led to sit before the fire in the drawing room while the rest of the party scattered over the house to hide. He was waiting for the faint "Co-coe" which was the signal that he was to sail out on his seeking operations. It was a late Autumn afternoon and the first signs of dusk were beginning to fall, which, of course, made it the more admirable of times for the playing of "hide and seek." The expected "Co-coe" was heard and Blair rose from his chair, and going to the door went out into the hall and turned at once to the stairs, knowing that it would be upstairs in the winding corridors with their dark corners and open doors into convenient bedrooms and box rooms that his small prey would be most likely found. He had nearly reached half way up the stairs when from a recess covered by a curtain at the top of the stairs he saw his wife come out. He was just going to let out a cheery whoop of discovery in accordance with the rules of the game when he saw her catch the railing of the banisters at the top of the stairs away for a moment as if she was

going to fall and then stand perfectly rigid looking along the half darkened corridor. It took him only a moment to reach her side, but she took no notice of him as he came. He asked her if she was ill, but the fixed look on her face along the corridor turned his own glance that way and he saw slowly coming to the head of the stairs a man in a monk's dress with the cowl drawn over his head. There was nothing at all alarming about the figure or the face of the man. He looked a kindly, normal sort of person, and he moved quite deliberately and naturally. Blair tried his hand on his wife's arm to tell her he was beside her, and at his touch she seemed to relax at once, and caught hold of both his hands. The monk was only a few yards from them when out from an open door came rushing the small figure of Maud, their followed by one of the other children of the party. They had evidently decided that the time had come for a rush down the stairs to reach the "den," otherwise the drawing room, which being reached made them safe from capture by the pursuing "it" of the game. Straight into her father's arms she ran, not seeing him until she was right on him and gave a shrill yell of imaginary alarm at finding herself captured. The diversion seemed to have the effect of a shock on Mrs. Blair, who promptly fainted into her husband's arms at the exact moment that Maud also arrived there. Almost at the same instant the monk reached the top of the stairs, and while Blair was occupied with holding his wife, and with the struggles of the excited Maud to tear past him down the stairs to the "den," the cowl figure went quietly past them. It was down the stairs and across the hall, and turning towards the kitchen, was lost to sight. Maud, however, saw it, and at once called to her father, "Look, Daddy, there's the funny old man with the coat over his head, ask him where he is going!" It was not until he had been seen to disappear, did not feel any alarm at the sight of the figure, and did not know for the moment why her parents had abandoned the proper pursuit of the exciting "hide and seek."

Now, there is no finish to the story, and no explanation so far as is known to the writer. Mrs. Blair's faint was a matter of a minute or two without any serious result. She had been hiding in the recess at the top of the stairs, had looked out to see if her husband was coming up the stairs to seek for the other players, and had then seen the advancing figure of the monk, which, to her intense disgust, as afterwards expressed, had more or less paralyzed her with something of a panic.

What was the meaning of the monk's appearance cannot be explained. As far as has been ascertained there is no question whatever of its being an ordinary man masquerading in old world clothes for any purpose whatever. It has been seen again occasionally in the house, but almost always by children, and it does not appear on any occasion to have caused in them anything more than curiosity. The orthodox theory of a ghost as a "creeping creature moving about with moans and clanking chains does not apply here at all. It is merely a quiet old monk walking down a stair, usually in broad daylight and interfering with nobody. That the figure is usually seen by children, who take it for that of a perfectly normal man in rather a quaint garb, seems to dispose of any suggestion that it is the product of an over-strained imagination on the part of hysterical people. The owner of the house, who has been described as Blair, is entirely free from fanciful theories on the subject. Perhaps some theory might be woven from the fact that on the first occasion when he saw it as here described, he and his wife had been taking a very active part in a gathering of children in which they had for the moment shaken off the accumulated years of convention and sophistication and regained the unclouded mentality of children, but there is only a suggestion. There are regions of physical phenomena which science is only just beginning to penetrate into. This is the sort of thing that offers an attractive field for investigation but unfortunately, there seems to be little in the way of foundation for a start, and those who make such a start appear to lose promptly every vestige of common sense that they ever possessed as witness the extraordinary writings of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle since he took up spiritualism. In the meantime the story is simply told as it occurred and anyone can make his own explanation of it to suit himself.

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## GUESSING CONTEST

From June 20th to June 27th

How many Bristles in a Johnson 7 pound weighted Floor Polishing Brush?

The Winner will receive one

Johnson's Floor Polishing Outfit Free!

This outfit is on display in the store window now.

Register Your Guess at the Store!

## H. E. CHALMERS

HARDWARE AND FURNITURE

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WETASKIWIN

## WERE ALL BUSY

"Where were you boys when I called for you to help me an hour ago?" asked Farmer Jones at the supper table.

"I was in the barn settin' a hen" said one.

"And I was in the loft settin' a saw," said another.

"I was in grandma's room settin' the clock," said the third boy.

"And I was in the pantry settin' a trap," said the fourth.

"You're a fine set!" remarked the farmer. "And where were you?" he asked, turning to the youngest.

"I was on the doorstep settin' still."

## TIME TABLE OF TRAINS

Times for Trains at Wetaskiwin will be:

Northbound	Southbound
51 5:25 a.m. Daily	52 12:10 p.m.
52 6:44 a.m. Daily	53 6:12 a.m. Daily
53 9:15 p.m. Daily	54 8:25 a.m. Daily
54 1:50 p.m. Daily	55 1:38 p.m. Daily
55 11:20 a.m. Daily	56 7:45 p.m. Daily
56 11:20 a.m. Daily	57 7:45 p.m. Daily
57 11:20 a.m. Daily	58 7:45 p.m. Daily
58 11:20 a.m. Daily	59 7:45 p.m. Daily
59 11:20 a.m. Daily	60 7:45 p.m. Daily

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For Sale Cheap, also

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# PARKER'S

## MEATS and GROCERIES

### Week-End Specials

Sweet PICKLES Gallon 1.75  
Mixed Jar

Choice Strawberries No. 2 tins, each ..... 35c  
Choice Red Cherries No. 2 tins, each ..... 25c

Corn Flakes QUAKER 11c  
Per Package

Shredded Wheat Puffed Wheat  
Per package ..... 15c Per package ..... 15c

PURE PLUM JAM 4 lb Tin 54c

Rogers' Syrup Rogers' Syrup,  
5 lb pail ..... 50c 10 lb pail ..... 89c

Pure LOGANBERRY JAM 4 lb Tin 69c

Shredded Coconut Choice Cooking  
Per pound ..... 34c Dates, per lb ..... 10c

## FRESH FISH

Fresh Salmon, Halibut and Codfish now arriving every Monday and Thursday, from Vancouver.  
Fresh Whitefish and Trout from Cold Lake arrive every Wednesday

## LEG ROASTS of VEAL per lb 15c

LARD! LARD! LARD!  
Pure Lard, 3 lb Pail ..... 60c  
Pure Lard, 5 lb Pail ..... \$1.00  
Pure Lard, 10 lb Pail ..... \$1.95  
Smoked Pork Rolls, per lb ..... 25c

## WE SELL FOR LESS

### ROYAL MARKET

**DELEGATE TO WHEAT POOL**  
At a meeting of Wheat Pool members held in the U.F.A. hall on Saturday last, it was decided to vote for J. R. Rickard as the delegate from the Wetaskiwin district. All ballots to be counted must be in the hand office, Calgary, not later than Tuesday evening, June 23.

**AUTO HIT BY TRAIN**  
Stettler, June 12.—The auto in which they were riding was struck by a freight train last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Christians had a narrow escape from death. Neither was injured, but the automobile was badly damaged in the crash from which the occupants escaped.

## ANGUS THEATRE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, JUNE 19-20, 8 p.m.

Wives, Sweethearts, Vamps, here are your  
"HUSBANDS AND LOVERS"

Just as they are!

The Lover, with the handy compliment, the dandy look, and the dancing foot.

The Husband, quite confident in his wife, and loving her much more than life itself.

Which Means More to a Girl Today?

See it with Lewis Stone as the husband, Lew Cody as the Lover, and Florence Vidor as the wife.

Comedy — "The Optimist"

MONDAY and TUESDAY, JUNE 22-23

"THE GOOSE HANGS HIGH"

Every family in the city should see this great family picture. Three ultra-modern children, after demonstrating their complete modernness in a selfish disregard of everyone's feelings except their own, show their real fineness when disaster threatens the family. Then—everything is lovely and The Goose Hangs High!

Comedy — "Black and Blue"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, JUNE 26-27

"PAINTED PEOPLE"

Come Early

Usual Prices

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH IS GAINING GROUND

(Special to The Times)  
Minneapolis, Minn., June 16.—Contrary to popular opinion, the Christian church is not losing ground but is constantly achieving new victories, according to Dr. G. A. Brandelle, of Rock Island, Ill., president of the Lutheran Augustana synod, in submitting his annual report to the 66th convention of that body. Five hundred delegates from thirteen conferences and three home mission districts in various parts of the United States and Canada were in attendance. President Brandelle declared that more money had been received for the support of the work of the Augustana synod during the last year than in any previous year in the synod's history. Total contributions for all purposes were \$5,199,275, or an average of \$31.34 for each communicant member.

## DRAW FOR LADIES' BOWLING CLUB

The following are the games drawn for the Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club up to June 27—  
Friday afternoon, June 19, 2:30—Baker vs Chiddy.  
Groves vs Thompson.  
Saturday evening, June 20, 7:30—Kirstein vs Thompson.  
Baker vs Groves.  
Tuesday evening, June 23, 7:30—Kirstein vs Groves.  
Chiddy vs Thompson.  
Wednesday afternoon, June 24, 2:30—Baker vs Kirstein.  
Thompson vs Groves.  
Friday afternoon, June 26, 2:30—Chiddy vs Kirstein.  
Thompson vs Baker.

## BASEBALL SCHEDULE

June 20—  
Haultain at Cherry Grove.  
Duhamel at Bear's Hill.  
June 27—  
Bear's Hill at Gwynne.  
Cherry Grove at Haultain.  
July 4—  
Bear's Hill at Duhamel.  
Gwynne at Cherry Grove.  
July 11—  
Cherry Grove at Bear's Hill.  
Duhamel at Haultain.  
July 18—  
Haultain at Bear's Hill.  
Gwynne at Duhamel.  
July 25—  
Haultain at Gwynne.  
Duhamel at Cherry Grove.

## YOU MUST ALWAYS REMEMBER THE FREIGHT

An exchange says: C. O. Young said that when he first came up here from the state of Washington, five years ago, he went into a store to purchase a spool of thread. He placed a dime on the counter and the clerk said: "25c more, please!" "What!" exclaimed Mr. Young, 55c for a spool of thread; you can get it anywhere in the States for a nickel. The clerk said yes, but you must remember the freight!

Next, Mr. Young went into a barber shop to get shaved, and here he handed the barber a quarter. The barber said: "25c more, please!" And Mr. Young said, "That's right—dammit, I forgot the freight."

## LORD BYNG TO TRAVEL OVER NATIONAL LINES

His excellency, the Governor-general will leave Ottawa on June 16 for a tour of western Canada, which will last for a month. The itinerary will include stops at Winnipeg, Edmonton, Hudson, B.C., New Hazelton, Prince Rupert, Vancouver, Victoria and Calgary.

## CROP CONDITIONS

Crop conditions in Canada at the end of May averaged 102 per cent of the progress usually reported at that time of the year. The whole western country has been frequently and plentifully sprinkled since then, and unless the hot weather shrivelled the grain fields in the eastern provinces the comparison ought to be still more favorable at this date.

## WETASKIWIN MARKETS

Wednesday, June 17, 1925  
No. 1 Northern ..... 1.38  
No. 2 Northern ..... 1.34  
No. 3 Northern ..... 1.29  
No. 4 Northern ..... 1.17  
No. 5 Northern ..... .93  
No. 6 Northern ..... .70  
Feed Wheat ..... .62  
Barley ..... .52  
Oats ..... .42  
Rye ..... .62  
Steers ..... 4.00 - 5.00  
Cows ..... 3.00 - 4.00  
Sheep ..... 6.00  
Lamb ..... 10.00  
Eggs (Extras) ..... .26  
Eggs (Firsts) ..... .25  
Eggs (Seconds) ..... .15  
Butter ..... .25 - .30  
Potatoes ..... .40

## Three Presbyteries Is Given By Assembly To Alberta Province

Toronto, June 15.—The assembly of the continuing Presbyterian church Friday received and adopted a report from a special committee recommending the boundaries of synods and presbyteries. The committee made as few changes as possible in the old boundaries, and ones made were absolutely imperative, it was said. The synod of Alberta will consist of three presbyteries: Calgary, Red Deer and Edmonton, with Rev. D. G. McQuinn, of Edmonton, as moderator; Saskatchewan synod has three: Moose Jaw, Regina and Prince Albert and Saskatoon, with Rev. J. R. Graham, of Assiniboia, as moderator.

## M.D. OF BIGSTONE COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Municipal District of Bigstone, No. 459, was held in the Lone Ridge hall on May 24, with all the councillors in attendance.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted on motion of Coun. Westendorp.

A letter was read from the C.P.R. regarding roadway on S.E. 13-16-26. The secretary was instructed to write the department of public works to get the information desired.

A letter was read from Odell & Russell re August Asp. It was moved by Coun. Olson that \$5.00 per month be given August Asp in the way of further relief.

A letter was read from the Alexandra hospital, Edmonton, respecting Julia Lapointe. The secretary was instructed to write the hospital stating that this person is not a resident of the Municipality.

A letter was read from Macdonald & Day, Edmonton. It was moved by Coun. Burleigh that the matter be left to the secretary for his attention. E. Ainsworth and E. E. Sparks then addressed the meeting in regard to the government grant and the method of spending same on the roads.

It was moved by Coun. Olson that a vote of thanks be given Mr. Ainsworth for his instructive address. It was moved by Coun. Olson that the secretary be instructed to pay arrears of taxes on the north half of 28-16-24, to the end of 1923. Bills and paybooks were passed for payment on motions of Couns. Burleigh and Arnold.

## Aboussafy's Quality Groceries

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY, JUNE 20 and WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24

700 TINS OF BRUNSWICK SARDINES ..... 28  
5 lbs tin for ..... 69  
MARMALADE, Orange ..... 98  
Baking Powder, Blue Ribbon, 5 lb tin for ..... 55  
Milk, Sweet ..... 47  
Milk, Quart Gen Jars ..... 25  
MOLASSES, Sugar House 5 pound pail ..... 45  
FIG BARS ..... 89  
per pound ..... 33  
ROCKS SYRUP ..... 20  
10 pound pail for ..... 35  
MATCHES, per package ..... 20  
PINEAPPLE, Singapore per tin ..... 1.27  
CORN, Dominion Choice 2 lbs tin for ..... 40  
PEANUT BUTTER, 5 pound tin for ..... 20  
KRAFT CHEESE per pound ..... 10  
VINEGAR per bottle ..... 67  
CHOCOLATE BARS, 6 for ..... 16  
DATES per pound ..... 1.69  
TEA, CEYLONA, per pound ..... 1.69  
BEAN-OLE-BEAN, per tin ..... 1.69  
MAPLE SYRUP, Pure, Half Gallon tin ..... 1.69

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## UNVEIL TABLET TO SLAIN AT FROG LAKE

Frog Lake, June 15.—In the little enclosure where most of the victims of the Frog Lake massacre have lain since the tragedy of 1885, a bronze tablet on a cairn, commemorating that event, was unveiled Tuesday, by W. H. Cameron, the only white man spared by the murderers. Judge Howay, of New Westminster, B.C., western representative on the Historic Sites and Monuments Board, presided over a gathering that included many of the Wood Cree Indians from the adjacent reserve. Mr. Cameron gave a vivid account of the tragedy.

Mr. Cameron afterwards pointed out to the visitors the points where the incidents of the massacre occurred. No trace of any of the buildings existing in 1885 remains, except little holes representing their cellars. A 20-foot poplar, its trunk about 8 inches thick, grows out of the middle of the church cellar on a green knoll. The bodies of the two murdered priests and two other victims were thrown in there and the church burned over them.

## SCHEDULE FOR TENNIS CLUB

Friday, June 19  
7 p.m.—  
Miss O. Miquelon and Sims vs Miss Borden and Mullin.  
2—Miss James and Garlough vs Miss Ellis and Woner.  
3—Miss Burr and Brown vs Miss Bawden and Anderson.  
8 p.m.—  
Miss L. Miquelon and Jack Orr vs Miss Putnam and Nelson.  
2—Miss Grant and Jim Orr vs Miss Kaiser and C. Richards.  
3—Miss Ward and Ostry vs Miss Brown and Martin.

## WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Will the ladies having books, borrowed from the Institute library, kindly return same to Mrs. J. A. Rodell not later than Saturday, June 20, as these books must be returned at once to the department.

## GOOD PRICES AND A DEMAND AT LACOMBE

The demand for good bulls at the Lacombe bull sale clearly indicated to the Central Alberta Cattle Breeders' association that the market for pure bred had improved to some degree since the last sale, and a good average of \$15.15 on 61 bulls shows that there is a real reason for optimism. On 22 Shorthorns disposed of there was an average of \$17.75, and of these 15 went to the Dominion livestock branch, being bought by R. S. Hamer for farmers in the north and central districts who will secure them under the federal sire policy.

## HOSPITAL DONATIONS

The matron of the Wetaskiwin hospital desires to acknowledge with many thanks, the following donations: Pair curtains from the Eastern Star; 2 pairs curtains from the Rebekahs; 2 pairs curtains from Scandinavian Hospital Aid; Flowers from J. W. Herke; Mrs. Holmes and P. C. Peterson; Rhabarb and sack of potatoes from R. Schwartz; dishpan, 2 kettles and 8 doctors' caps from Ladies' Hospital Aid; Plants for hospital garden from Mr. Waring; 2 house plants and box for nurses from Mrs. J. Dux; Fruit of chocolates for nurses from Mr. Johnson.

## CHRISTOPHER'S BIG SIX SPECIALS

Prices Good to June 26

SALT 50 lb COARSE 85c  
50 lb BLOCKS 90c

LARD 3 lb PAIL 65c  
5 lb PAIL \$1.10

SYRUP 5 lb TIN \$1.00  
10 lb TIN 55c

SARDINES 4 TINS FOR 25c

PINEAPPLE SIGNAPORE PER TIN 25c

GRAPE JUICE PER BOTTLE 35c

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EMERSON MOWERS  
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Get Our Prices Before Purchasing Elsewhere

## WOOL

We have arranged with the Co-operative Wool Growers' Association to load a car of Wool in Wetaskiwin for direct shipment to eastern Canada on Saturday, June 27.

Agents for Emerson Plows and Drills  
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Wetaskiwin